

Glazier, Nancy D CIV NAVFAC NW, 09C

From: Galloway, Bill J. CIV NAVFAC NW
Sent: Thursday, January 15, 2009 10:10 AM
To: Glazier, Nancy D CIV NAVFAC NW, 09C
Subject: FW: Flooding over the top at Bremerton Auto Wrecking Landfill today

FYI - I did not see you on the distribution.

VR, Bill Galloway

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From: Read, Dan L CIV NAVFAC NW
Sent: Wednesday, January 14, 2009 12:41
To: Nielsen, William C CIV NAVFAC NW; McCarthy, Earl P CIV NAVFAC NW; Suther, George N CDR NAVFAC NW, PRBD; Schlesinger, Robert D CAPT NAVFAC NW
Cc: Galloway, Bill J. CIV NAVFAC NW; Bautista, Emmanuel CDR NAVFAC NW, Ops
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I talked to Bill McKinney of the City of Bremerton. This location is at the site of the old Bremerton Auto Wrecking, which appears to be currently operating as Airport Auto Wrecking. South of the wrecking yard on the east side of SR 3 is a former landfill. This was apparently a permitted landfill in the canyon, and a culvert was installed in the streambed. During extreme flooding events the culvert backs up and the water flows over the old landfill, washing out garbage on the face of the pile which is visible from the highway. This flows down the streambed and through a culvert under the highway. The stream feeds Gorst Creek and crosses Old Belfair Highway at the entrance to Gold Mountain Golf Course.

Ownership of the site seems to be questionable at this time, and Bill said that there have been a few meetings to discuss the problem but there has been no resolution. They are trying to get WDOE involved. We were probably notified because some of the garbage was labeled as "Navy". According to Greg Leicht's Email Nancy Glazier has already been involved for some time. The first question may be to determine what, if any, responsibility the Navy has for cleanup. If we do share in the responsibility, what level of involvement or funding is required.

This does not appear to be a technical issue at this time, I suggest having Legal and Environmental continue working it.
R/Dan

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This is a new one to me, too. I left a message with Bill McKinney and Phil Williams of City of Bremerton just now, and will try to find out where this is. If it is Navy material then it may be washing out of one of the old landfills and not associated with the Navy RR or our current operations. I thought Bremerton Auto Wrecking was located on Highway 3 near the current Airport Auto Wrecking, but was closed years ago.

More to follow.
R/Dan

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From: Nielsen, William C CIV NAVFAC NW
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To: McCarthy, Earl P CIV NAVFAC NW; Read, Dan L CIV NAVFAC NW
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Earl/Dan, can I get you to track this down and see what it's about? It talks about flooding and navy materials. Does the navy have anything to do with the flooding and what are the navy materials? I've never heard of this and don't know where it is.

Thanks,
Bill

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Sent: Wednesday, January 14, 2009 3:47 PM
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Cc: Brent, James C CIV NAVFAC , 09C; Bautista, Emmanuel CDR NAVFAC NW, Ops; Leicht, Gregory B CIV NAVFAC NW, Environmental; Hayes, Dan CIV NAVFAC, N45; Suther, George N CDR NAVFAC NW, PRBD
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Nancy,

This one has caught PWD Kitsap, NBK CO CAPT Olson, PSNS Executive Director Rick Tift, NAVFAC NW CO CAPT Schlesinger by surprise. None of us are familiar with this problem. I understand you have been involved for quite some time and are the most knowledgeable from the Navy's perspective. Can you provide a synopsis for communication about this problem, what the issues are, NAVY responsibility, etc. that we can use to educate our senior leaders?

Thanks,
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Sent: Monday, January 12, 2009 8:36 AM
To: Bill McKinney
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Gilmartin, Mareen C CTR NAVFAC NW (NEW), EV3

From: Leisle, Dwight E CIV NAVFAC, RPM
Sent: Wednesday, March 31, 2010 8:26 AM
To: Gilmartin, Mareen C CTR NAVFAC NW (NEW), EV3
Subject: FW: Flooding over the top at Bremerton Auto Wrecking Landfill today
Signed By: dwight.leisle@navy.mil

Importance: High

FYI

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I am meeting with the County to discuss the site on 12 February 09.

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Jerry, All,
I also recall an area that had Navy waste that had been uncovered by erosion. If my recollection is correct, it was not a "shipyard" problem because it was off of navy property (and done long ago). I think Ecology was working with NAVFAC on it.

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V/r, Greg

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